



**AUSTIN CITY COUNCIL
MINUTES**

**WORK SESSION MEETING
TUESDAY, AUGUST 9, 2016**

The City Council of Austin, Texas convened in a Work Session Meeting on Tuesday, August 9, 2016, City Hall at 301 W. Second Street, Austin, Texas.

Mayor Adler called the Council Meeting to order at 9:38 a.m.

BRIEFINGS

- B.1 Briefing on Public Improvement Districts
Presentation was made by Elaine Hart, Chief Financial Officer and Gregory Miller, Senior Attorney.

Direction was given to staff to provide more details on the benefits and amenities that will be provided by the WildHorse Ranch Public Improvement District.

- B.2. Proposed 2016 Bond Package and Proposition
Presentation was made by Assistant City Manager Robert Goode, Mike Trimble, Capital Planning Officer and Greg Canally, Deputy Chief Financial Officer.

COUNCIL DISCUSSION

- D.1 Discussion and possible action on the Council Budget Concept Menu.
This item was withdrawn without objection.

COUNCIL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Mayor Adler introduced the agenda for the August 11, 2016 Council meeting and allowed Council to give input or ask questions on any item posted on the agenda. Staff was available to provide verbal responses to Council questions. Discussion was held on the following items taken from Thursday's agenda.

31. Approve a resolution directing the City Manager to create a Bond Election Advisory Task Force and present briefings on related issues in anticipation of a 2017 or 2018 bond process. (Notes: SPONSOR: Council Member Ann Kitchen CO 1: Mayor Steve Adler CO 2: Council Member Delia Garza CO 3: Council Member Gregorio Casar CO 4: Council Member Leslie Pool)
12. Authorize negotiation and execution of a contract with MATRIX CONSULTING GROUP for human resources consulting services in an amount not to exceed \$90,000. (Notes: This solicitation was reviewed for subcontracting opportunities in accordance with City Code Chapter 2-9C)

- Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program. For the goods required for this solicitation, there were insufficient subcontracting opportunities; therefore, no subcontracting goals were established.)
25. Authorize negotiation and execution of a 60-month contract with SYNAGRO OF TEXAS-CDR, INC., or one of the other qualified offerors to Request For Proposals CDL2003, for the management of biosolids reuse in an amount not to exceed \$9,424,778, with five 12-month extension options in an amount not to exceed \$2,185,180 per extension option, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$20,350,678. (Notes: This solicitation was reviewed for subcontracting opportunities in accordance with City Code Chapter 2-9C Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program. For the services required for this solicitation, there were insufficient subcontracting opportunities and an insufficient number of certified M/WBEs; therefore, no subcontracting goals were established.)
 26. Authorize negotiation and execution of a 12-month revenue contract with ALLEN CLICK, or one of the other qualified offerors to Request For Proposals JXP0501, for the sale and removal of compost material for an estimated revenue amount of \$64,500, with five 12-month extension options with an estimated revenue of \$64,500 per extension option, for a total estimated revenue amount of \$387,000. (Notes: This revenue generating contract is exempt from the City Code Chapter 2-9C Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program; therefore, no subcontracting goals were established.)
 68. C814-2015-0074 - The Grove at Shoal Creek PUD - District 10 - Conduct a public hearing and approve an ordinance amending City Code Chapter 25-2 by zoning property locally known as 4205 Bull Creek Road (Shoal Creek Watershed) from unzoned (UNZ) district zoning to planned unit development (PUD) district zoning. Staff Recommendation: To grant planned unit development (PUD) district zoning. Zoning and Platting Commission Recommendation: To grant planned unit development (PUD) district zoning. Owner/Applicant: ARG Bull Creek, Ltd. (Garrett Martin). Agent: Throrer Design (A. Ron Throrer). City Staff: Sherri Sirwaitis, 512-974-3057. **The discussion on postponing this item will be set for a 10:30 a.m. time certain at the August 11, 2016 Council Meeting.**
 52. C14-2016-0025 – St. James Missionary Baptist Church – District 1 – Conduct a public hearing and approve an ordinance amending City Code Chapter 25-2 by rezoning property locally known as 3417 East Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard (Tannehill Branch Watershed) from family residence-neighborhood plan (SF-3-NP) combining district zoning to townhouse and condominium residence-neighborhood plan (SF-6-NP) combining district zoning. Staff Recommendation: To grant townhouse and condominium residence-neighborhood plan (SF-6-NP) combining district zoning. Planning Commission Recommendation: To grant townhouse and condominium residence-conditional overlay-neighborhood plan (SF-6-CO-NP) combining district zoning. Owner: St. James Missionary Baptist Church (Thomas J. Owens). Applicant: Urban Design Group (Laura Toups). City Staff: Heather Chaffin, 512- 974-2122. A valid petition has been filed in opposition to this rezoning request. **A request to set this item for a time certain of 6:00 p.m. may be made at the August 11, 2016 Council Meeting.**
 55. C14-2016-0039 – Thornton II – District 5 – Conduct a public hearing and approve an ordinance amending City Code Chapter 25-2 by rezoning property locally known as 2413 Thornton Road (West Bouldin Creek Watershed) from general commercial services (CS) district zoning to multifamily residence-moderate-high density-conditional overlay (MF-4-CO) combining district

zoning. Staff Recommendation: To grant multifamily residence-low density (MF-2) district zoning. Planning Commission Recommendation: To grant multifamily residence-moderate-high density-conditional overlay (MF-4-CO) combining district zoning. Applicant: South Llano Strategies (Glen Coleman). Owner: John & Susan Hoberman. City Staff: Andrew Moore, 512-974-7604.

A request to set this item for a time certain of 6:00 p.m. may be made at the August 11, 2016 Council Meeting.

40. C14-2015-0160 – Champions Tract #3 – District 10 – Conduct a public hearing and approve second and third readings of an ordinance amending City Code Chapter 25-2 by rezoning property locally known as 6409 City Park Road (West Bull Creek Watershed) from general office-conditional overlay (GO-CO) combining district zoning to general office-mixed use-conditional overlay (GO-MU-CO) combining district zoning. First reading approved for multifamily residence-moderate-high density-conditional overlay (MF-4-CO) combining district zoning on June 23, 2016. Vote: 11-0. Owner/Applicant: Champion Assets LTD & Champion Legacy Partners LP (Josie Ellen Champion, Alma Juanita Champion Meier, Margaret Jo Roberson Duff). Agent: Armbrust & Brown, PLLC (Richard Suttle). City Staff: Jerry Rusthoven, 512-974-3207. **The discussion on postponing this item will be set for a 10:30 a.m. time certain at the August 11, 2016 Council Meeting.**
27. Approve appointments and certain related waivers to citizen boards and commissions, to Council committees and other intergovernmental bodies and removal and replacement of members; and amendments to board and commission bylaws.
5. Authorize the negotiation and execution of a five-year agreement with one five-year extension option with the Austin Convention and Visitors Bureau for convention and tourism promotion services in an estimated amount not to exceed \$16,472,944 for Fiscal Year 2016-2017. **A request to postpone this item to August 18, 2016 may be made at the August 11, 2016 Council Meeting.**
3. Approve an ordinance ordering a general municipal election to be held in the City of Austin on November 8, 2016, for the purpose of electing City Council Members for District 2, District 4, District 6, District 7, and District 10; ordering a special election for the purpose of authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds for transportation and mobility; providing for the conduct of the election; authorizing the City Clerk to enter into joint election agreements with other local political subdivisions as may be necessary for the orderly conduct of the election; and declaring an emergency. **A request to set this item for a time certain of 4:00 p.m. may be made at the August 11, 2016 Council Meeting.**
2. Discussion and possible action on the Council Budget Concept Menu.

Mayor Adler recessed the Council Meeting to go into Executive Session at 12:46 p.m.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The City Council went into Executive Session, pursuant to Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, to receive advice from Legal Counsel, to discuss matters of land acquisition, litigation, and personnel matters as specifically listed on this agenda and to receive advice from Legal Counsel regarding any other item on this agenda.

- E.1 Discuss legal issues related to open government matters (Private consultation with legal counsel - Section 551.071 of the Government Code).
This item was withdrawn without objection.
- E.2 Discuss legal issues related to a general obligation bond election (Private consultation with legal counsel - Section 551.071 of the Government Code).
This item was withdrawn without objection.
- E.3 Discuss legal issues related to Donald Zimmerman v. City of Austin, Cause No. 1:15-cv-00628LY, in the United States District Court for the Western Division of Texas (Private consultation with legal counsel - Section 551.071 of the Government Code).
- E.4 Discuss legal issues related to the City's electric power purchase agreement with Nacogdoches Power LLC (Private consultation with legal counsel - Section 551.071 of the Government Code).

Executive Session ended and Mayor Pro Tem Tovo called the Council Meeting back to order at 2:57 p.m.

Mayor Pro Tem Tovo adjourned the meeting at 2:57 p.m. without objection.

The minutes were approved on this the 18th day of August 2016 on Council Member Zimmerman's motion, Council Member Garza's second on an 11-0 vote.